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PUBLIC ACT SUMMARY



PA 19-140—sHB 6588

Transportation Committee

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF PARKING CITATIONS BY
INDEPENDENT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND
PRIVATE SECONDARY SCHOOLS**

SUMMARY: This act allows independent higher education institutions and private high schools to issue parking citations imposing monetary sanctions to owners of vehicles parked on their property, including by written warning, posted signs, or other means. Existing law, unchanged by the act, prohibits all other private property owners and lessees, or their agents, from issuing these parking citations.

By law, an independent higher education institution is a private nonprofit institution established in Connecticut that (1) has degree-granting authority and its main campus located in the state, (2) is not included in Connecticut's public higher education system, and (3) does not primarily prepare students for religious vocation (CGS § 10a-173(a)).

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage